

from Salt Lake this week to join her husband. They have received their household effects.

Mrs. N. H. Stokely, of St. Louis, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Jordan of this city. Dr. Stokely, who is a recently graduated physician, is in the state seeking a favorable location.

Two marriages were solemnized at Chester this week. The contracting parties are John M. and Miss Vick and Miss Little Nielson of Chester and Andrew Nielson of Chester and Miss Redmond of Spring City.

Nels Nelson, Rev. McCreery and Soren X. Christensen were Salt Lake City visitors this week.

Lars Christensen of Castle Dale was in Mt. Pleasant a few days this week.

John Householder, who is at present employed at Mercur, came home to Mt. Pleasant for a week's stay this week.

MERCUR SOCIETY.

(Special Correspondence.)
Mercur, March 25.—The entertainment given by the Daughters of Rebekah and the L. O. O. F. lodges Wednesday evening was well attended. Musical selections were given by Messrs. Peters, Huff, Joy, Baker and Harrington and Mrs. Steinman, Miss Vick and Miss Turner. Mrs. Kent Smith gave a recitation. Besides the Peters' orchestra, a guitar and mandolin band was in attendance. The programme was concluded with a dance in Mahan's hall.

The band boys met Tuesday evening and surprised their leader, S. N. Evans, who had been called to go to Park City on account of the sickness of his brother and had resigned his position as leader. Matt Burns was chosen to fill the vacancy, after which a good time was spent in the way of farewell to Mr. Evans, who has worked hard in the interest of the band.

Miss Maude Patton, who has been at work in the telephone office for some time, will leave for Butte, Mont., in a few days.

John A. Little and Alice Mackinson, the latter of Stockton, were united in marriage this week at the home of the bride's mother.

The Emerson club met at the home of Mrs. G. W. Kellogg, Tuesday evening, and spent the evening considering "Colonial Times and Writers." A very pleasant and instructive time was spent.

Mrs. A. J. Spooner has moved into Salt Lake City, where she will make her permanent home. Mr. Spooner will spend considerable of his time in Mercur, looking after his interests here, and will make Salt Lake his headquarters.

Mrs. A. M. Ashly entertained the Bachelors to the number of about twenty, Sunday evening. Cards, music and refreshments formed the evening's entertainment.

Mrs. Elizabeth Inglesby, mother of the assistant pastor, and Dr. Inglesby, arrived from Hooper, Neb., and will spend a month with her sons and brother, A. B. Gibson.

Mrs. D. McVickie is a Salt Lake visitor.

Misses Besse and Anna Hall are visiting friends in town.

Miss Ida Goff of American Fork, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Andrew Adamson, in Salt Lake.

Mrs. H. Phelps is visiting friends in Salt Lake.

Mrs. Dr. Sykes is once more at home in the cyanide clinic.

William Whipple and wife returned from a visit to Salt Lake Wednesday.

RICHFIELD SOCIETY.

(Special Correspondence.)
Richfield, March 25.—Mrs. John S. Folio and family left Thursday for Provo, with the intention of spending the summer with her mother. Mr. Folio will be absent during the entire season as stenographer for court sessions in the scattering counties of this district.

Mr. and Mrs. Nichol Johnson entertained a number of friends Monday evening with dancing and social amusements.

J. S. Weaver, formerly an attorney of Salt Lake and Richfield, but now of Springfield, has been spending the week in Sevier, renewing old acquaintances.

Professor G. N. Marshall, principal of the Wasatch academy at Mt. Pleasant, was in Richfield yesterday, visiting friends.

President W. H. Seegmiller returned home Wednesday after a two weeks' visit at Kanab.

L. O. Hoffmann, county attorney of Carbon county, visited with the family of his brother, E. E. Hoffmann, this week.

The W. C. T. U. have arranged for a lecture next Wednesday evening on the subject "L. I. by W. McDaniel.

A banquet and farewell party will be tendered Bishop Bradley by the members of the theological department of the Latter-day Saints Sunday school this evening.

A dance for the benefit of the ward choir, advertised for last evening, had to be postponed on account of the rain.

John N. Hayes of Salt Lake has spent the past two weeks at Sevier's capital city.

Byron Bartlett was home from Bingham a couple of days during the week on a visit to his parents, who have just recently returned from a visit to Tennessee.

George H. Crosby, Jr., a committee clerk in the late legislature, is visiting the scene of his former newspaper work before returning to his home in Wayne county.

W. J. Ridd spent a day in Richfield, after successfully escorting the visiting teachers from the north to Monroe on Thursday evening.

LEHI SOCIETY.

(Special Correspondence.)
Lehi, March 25.—The missionary society here gave a social picnic and ball in the opera house.

Mr. Valaze entertained a number of friends one evening during the week.

Bishop Cutler spent a few days in Oregon this week on business.

W. H. Fuller was the guest of Senator Evans this week.

The Lehi Opera company gave a matinee Saturday. Half the proceeds went to the public school library fund.

The M. I. A. gave a social hop. Thirty-five couples were in attendance.

Miss Lulu Train is confined to her bed with a gripe.

It is reported that the associated lodges of our city will build a new opera house in the near future.

The Lehi Opera company, under the direction of Professor E. Beeley, presented the pretty little opera entitled "The Merry Milkmaids" to a very

large audience. The principal characters were in the hands of Mrs. Salme, Mrs. Waniass, Miss Thomas and J. M. Kirkham, C. Crobb, J. H. Kirkham, W. L. Webb and E. Whitaker. A number of the best of Lehi's musical talent, thirty-five in all, took their parts admirably. Miss E. Austin was the pianist, and W. M. was stage manager.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gardener were visitors at West Jordan, attending the funeral services of a relative.

Samuel Russell of Salt Lake City is a visitor at Felix Long's.

Miss Sarah Linnell of Salt Lake City is the guest of Mrs. William Bone, Jr.

SPRINGVILLE SOCIETY.

(Special Correspondence.)
Springville, March 25.—The marriage is announced of Don O. Ashcroft and Miss Abbie Woodworth of Mapleton.

The Mutual Improvement association will hold a grand reunion at Reynolds' hall next Friday evening. A programme will be rendered, and dancing and refreshments will be indulged in.

Dr. F. Dunn is in the east on a visit to his parents at Perry, Ills.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Roylance are visiting in Salt Lake City.

Dr. C. J. Peterson was in Salt Lake Friday on a visit of business and pleasure.

Mr. Rose Johnson went down to Black Rock on Thursday for several weeks' visit.

Mrs. Mary McPate of Los Angeles, Cal., is in town on an extended visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. Zira Smoot and Mrs. Dr. Hardy of Provo were visiting in town Thursday.

Miss Ida Allen went to P. V. Junction this week to begin a short term of school.

James and Joseph Weight and Mrs. John Averett were in Salt Lake the first of the week, at the bedside of their sister, Mrs. George Sperry, whose illness terminated fatally on Tuesday evening.

Clarence Clyde came down from Mt. Pleasant for a couple of days' visit this week.

IDAHO FALLS SOCIETY.

(Special Correspondence.)
Idaho Falls, Ida., March 24.—Mrs. L. T. Mitchell returned from her trip to Boise City last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alice Robble gave a progressive high five party on Monday evening; it was a thoroughly enjoyable affair.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wierman paid them an unceremonious visit on Wednesday evening; it was a complete surprise, but the genial host and hostess soon accommodated themselves to circumstances and all report a good time.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk of Salt Lake county last week:

Peter M. Granger, 28
Mary Lindblom, 24
Henry Hergert, Salt Lake City
Annie E. Ashdown, Salt Lake City
Henry A. Brown, Salt Lake City
Mary E. Hennett, Salt Lake City
George E. Evanson, Salt Lake City
Alice Liddle, Salt Lake City
Arthur J. Jones, Salt Lake City
Charles T. McKague, Salt Lake City
Eva Ruth, Salt Lake City
S. S. Stone, Salt Lake City
Jean Bowman, Salt Lake City
John E. Jensen, Sandy
Clara E. Jordan, Sandy
Marcellus A. Lowry, Fielding
Rose B. Wood, Fielding
Gertrude Edwards, Evanston, Wyo.
Thomas E. Remis, Eureka
Olin Carlson, Salt Lake City
William E. Bray, Salt Lake City
Lottie Lundahl, Salt Lake City
Walter E. Mercur, Salt Lake City
Laurie Orlene Brause, Hill City, Tenn.
Mary L. Monette, Salt Lake City

Madame Root has returned from the east, where she spent some of the exclusive dressmaking houses and had an opportunity of studying the latest fashions in gowns.

FORT DOUGLAS NEWS.

Lieutenant I. C. Jenks, who has been in command of company L since its organization, has been relieved by Captain H. W. Hovey, who arrived in the garrison on Friday.

Captain W. H. W. James, who has been on leave for the last two months, visiting in New York, has returned to his post of duty.

Corporal Wilson Pirat, company D, Twenty-fourth infantry, having availed himself of a three months' furlough, left Friday for Richmond, Va.

John A. Woodard, private company M, Twenty-fourth infantry, has been appointed corporal in that company.

During the past week the following non-commissioned officers have been appointed in the following companies:

In company H: Corporal James Davis, promoted sergeant; Lance Corporal James Payne, promoted corporal.
In company C: Corporal Henry Gibbs, promoted sergeant; Private Samuel Cooper, promoted corporal; and William A. Houston, promoted corporal.
In company E: Corporal Henry Bates, promoted sergeant; Private Orestus Kincaid, promoted corporal, and Private Fred Joiner, promoted corporal.
Company B: Beverly Williams, promoted corporal.

Private John E. Poole, company H, Twenty-fourth infantry, was yesterday discharged from the service. It is thought that he will re-enlist and go with the company to California.

Walter E. Smith, private company H, Twenty-fourth infantry, who has been in the capacity of clerk in the quartermaster's department, was discharged Wednesday by reason of expiration of service. He intends to leave in a few days for Washington, D. C.

William Tate, sergeant company A, Twenty-fourth infantry, has been detailed on special duty in the quartermaster's department as overseer of laborers.

Henry Bacon, private company H, Twenty-fourth infantry, who has been on special duty as clerk in the quartermaster's department, has been appointed special clerk in place of Sergeant Dickinson.

The companies to go from Fort Douglas to the Presidio, California, are H and I. It is thought that companies A and G will shortly follow and be with the headquarters.

James M. Dickerson, sergeant company L, Twenty-fourth infantry, has been appointed sergeant major of the First battalion, which is commanded by Major Thompson, will remain at Fort Douglas.

William A. Stoff, sergeant company C, Twenty-fourth infantry, has been appointed sergeant major of the Second battalion, which is in command of Major Markley, will remain at Fort Russell.

It is thought that the smallpox epidemic will be ready for duty in a few days.



Miss Emma Cole taught as substitute teacher at the Lincoln and Whittier schools the past week.

W. F. Colton, formerly a member of the board of education, is spending a few days on the Pacific coast.

The schools of this city will close for the spring vacation on Friday, March 31. Work will be resumed on Monday, April 10.

A number of prominent educators from the east are expected to visit the city schools this week.

Professor W. G. Roylance of the university spoke before the Box Elder county teachers at Brigham City yesterday.

An Easter festival will be given at the Webster school on Saturday afternoon and evening, April 1, the proceeds of which will be applied to the piano debt.

A benefit was given at Ogden on Friday evening to Richard T. Haug of the Weber State academy. Mr. Haug leaves on a mission to Hamburg, Germany.

George Woodward of St. George has given \$400 toward the erection of the new school building in that place.

A fine reception was given the teaching fraternity at Monroe on Friday by the citizens of the place. Superintendent W. C. of Salt Lake county, Professor Stewart of the university and President Tanner of the agricultural college took prominent parts in the program.

The Jackson school will give a musical programme and festival at the school building on Friday evening, March 31, and Saturday afternoon and evening, April 1. The proceeds will be devoted to a piano fund.

The next regular meeting of the city teachers will occur in the high school assembly room on Saturday, April 1. The paper, "Truancy," by Principals Martin of the Grant school, will be read, and discussion will follow. The literary feature completed, the usual monthly checks for salaries will be issued by Clerk J. E. Moreton.

Judge Henderson and President Nelson of the board of education visited the Lowell on Friday.

Mrs. M. E. Graves substituted at the Ogden high school.

Miss White of the Grant visited Miss Mayne and Miss Froelich of the Ogden high school.

Miss D. Hamilton had a visiting day on Tuesday.

Miss Dunford of the Lowell visited Mrs. Howard of the Grant on Thursday.

The small boys are already regretting the fact that April Fool's day comes on Saturday.

In the primary rooms of one school a punching bag and a couple of puppets with vacuum pistols have been added to the physical apparatus.

A large number of V. V. students gave a "second circle theatre party" Tuesday night. The "Star Mary Grant" was enjoyed extremely, as was also a generous supply of peanuts, taffy, apples, etc.

Mr. Barnett has taken Miss Wheeler's place at the Ogden high school.

The pupils of room 6 of the Ogden high school were the guests of room 5 on Friday last, and were entertained by the following: "Cary programme"; "Song—The Rose"; "Room 6 Recitation—'Effie's Reasons'"; Piano solo—"Bee March";

Recitation—"The Northland"; "Land"—Wallace Beams; Recitation—"Take Care"; School Piano solo—"The Chimes";

Recitation—"The Castle"; School Piano solo—"The Castle";

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View and Martin Beckstead of East Jordan, both late returned missionaries, were visitors at school Wednesday.